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BANGALORE MUNICIPALITY.

The 18th May 1880.

Memo of propositions to be laid before the next meeting of the Town Municipal Commission, to be held at their Office Premises, Bangalore Taluk Cutcherry, on Friday the 28th May 1880, at 7½ A. M.

1. The usual monthly accounts and mortuary return for the month of April 1880.

2. List of agreements entered into with the President.

3. Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, No. 304—Ml. 23, dated 16th April 1880, and order thereon.

4. Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore No. 305-6—P. 15, dated 16th April 1880, and order thereon.

5. Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, No. 489-90—Ml. 31, dated 26th April 1880, and order thereon.

6. Application from Mr. T. Venkatasubbu Modaliar, requesting to cause a passage to be opened on the east side of the Vegetable Market.

No. 1.

The 11th May 1880.

Proceedings of an Ordinary Meeting of the Cantonment Municipal Commission held at their Office Premises No. 12, Residency Road, on Tuesday the 20th April 1880, at 7½ A. M.

President.

Dr. J. H. Orr, C. B.—*Present.*

Ex-Officio Members.

Present.—The Asstt. Quarter-Master Genl., M. Dn.

Absent.—The Executive Engr., Nundydroog Dn.
The Dist. Superintendent of Police.
The District Engineer.
The Town and Cantt. 2nd Magistrate.

Municipal Commissioners of Divisions.

No. 1, *Alsur Division.*

Present.—Mr. V. Sadasiva Modaliar.
Absent.—Mr. P. Raju Modaliar.

No. 2, *Shule Division.*

Present.—Mr. Standish Lee.

No. 3, *Arab Lines and Fort Division.*

Present.—Mr. Abdul Husen Saib.
Captain P. Curley.

No. 4, *General Bazar Division.*

Present.—Mr. Mahomed Saliha.
Absent.—Mr. Abdul Khudus Khadri Khaji Saib.
Mr. A. R. Sabhapati Modaliar.

No. 5, *Blackpalli Division.*

Present.—Mr. B. Ramalingam.
Mr. T. T. Leonard.

No. 6, *High Ground Division.*

Present.—Major-General C. G. Ottley.
Absent.—Mr. G. G. Brown.

Statement of Accounts.

1. The Progress Report, Account Current, Statement of Cash Balance and Assessor's Accounts for March 1880, together with the Mortuary Report for the same period, are submitted and after examination are adopted :—

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
I. Octroi... Class 1. Articles of food or drink for men or animals	262 8 8	I. Collections... 1. For Octroi tax	404 4 5
„ 2. Animals for slaughter	... ...	2. „ Tax on houses, buildings and lands ...	381 1 5
„ 3. Fuel, lighting and washing	... ...	3. „ Tax on professions and trades ...	60 10 8
„ 4. Building materials	26 1 0	4. „ Tax on carriages, horses, &c. ...	.. ..
„ 5. Drugs, spices and gums	....	5. „ Tolls on carts and other vehicles ...	... ...
„ 6. Tobacco, betel and betel-nuts ...	3,116 7 3	6. Special taxes	... ...
„ 7. Cloth	... ...	7. Rents assigned to Municipality ...	177 11 8
„ 8. Metals	... ...	II. Head Office Charges	682 14 5
II. Tax on houses, buildings and lands	4,559 8 7	III. Public Works. 1. Supervision	477 8 0
III. Tax on professions and trades or collection of liquor license fees...	365 13 4	2. *a.* Original Works	2,923 8 10
IV. Tax on carriages, horses, &c.	... ...	*b.* Purchase of land	... ...
V. Tolls on carts, carriages, &c.	... ...	*c.* Compensation for houses, &c., ...	324 5 1
VI. Special taxes under Section II, Act VI of 1868—Conservancy ...	... ...	3. Repairs	2,836 1 4
VII. Rents ... 1. Nazul lands	167 8 0	IV. Police	3,181 5 8
2. Do shops	469 4 8	V. Education	... ...
3. Serais	... ...	VI. Charitable Grants. 1. Dispensary and Medical Charges	1,000 0 0
4. Confiscated lands	... ...	2. Vaccination	20 0 0
5. Compound or site tax	... ...	3. Asylums	... ...
VIII. Gardens	... ...	VII. Conservancy	1,539 15 6
IX. Extra-ordinary. 1. Sale of houses and lands	... ...	VIII. Road watering	... ...
2. Loans	... ...	IX. Lighting	643 4 0
3. Refunds and recoveries	483 5 4	X. Gardens ... 1. Public Gardens ...	... .
4. Interest on securities and loans	... ...	2. Nursery	7 0 0
5. Other Items	... .	3. Farms	... ...
X. Fines	19 6 0	XI. Extraordinary... 1. Museums and Institutes ...	... ...
XI. Pounds	82 9 0	2. Purchase of Government Notes ...	... ...
XII. Miscellaneous	428 9 2	3. Fairs and Exhibitions	... .
XIII. Transfers and Contributions—Received from the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, on account of grant-in-aid for repairing suburban roads	2,300 7 4	XII. Miscellaneous ... 1. Repayment of loans	... ...
		2. Refund of excess collections ...	... ...
		3. Cattle Pound charges	79 4 0
		4. Statistics and mortuary registration ...	90 0 0
		5. Other miscellaneous items ...	542 5 5
		XIII. Reserve	30 0 0
Total Rupees.....	12,281 8 4	Total Rupees.....	15,401 4 5
To Cash Balance brought forward from last month's accounts.....	4,685 7 5	To Cash Balance carried to next month's accounts.....	1,565 11 4
Total Rupees.....	16,966 15 9	Total Rupees.....	16,966 15 9

Resolution.—Approved.

Mortuary Register, Bangalore.

2. Statement of Births and Deaths within Cantonment Municipal limits during the month of March 1880.

Causes of Deaths.	Europeans.		East Indians.		Musalmáns.		Hindus.		Native Christians.		Other Classes.		Buddhists.		Total.		Total in—		Difference.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	March. 1880.	Feb. 1880.	Increase.	Decrease.
Cholera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Small-pox ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fevers... ...	3	...	1	...	4	5	8	14	1	2	...	...	...	...	17	21	38	20	18	...
Bowel-complaints ...	2	1	...	..	1	...	6	4	2	1	...	...	...	...	11	6	17	18	...	1
Suicide ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wounding ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Accidents ...	...	..	...	..	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	...	4	...
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Other Causes—																				
Consumption ...	...	...	1	2	...	...	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7	12	...	...	...
Piles ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	..	...	...
Ascites ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	..	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...
Convulsion ...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	5	1	...	..	...	...	...	5	7	12	..	...	...
Ulcer ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	...	...	...
Premature birth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Rheumatism ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	...
Old age ...	...	...	...	...	.	3	1	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	4	5	...	...	...
Ambustis ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	..	...	...
Anasarca ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	..	...	...
Jaundice ...	...	..	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	..	...	...
Still-born ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	6	..	...	...
Debility ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	7	11	...	...	...
Fits by child birth	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...
Cough ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	...	...	...
Pneumonia ...	1	...	...	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
Aneurism ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Phagedenic Ulcer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Phthisis Pulmonalis	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...
Inflammation of lungs	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Lock-jaw ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	...	...	...
Paralysis ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Inanition ...	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	1	...	...	...
Congestion of lungs brain	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Bronchitis ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Calculus ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Abscesses ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...
Apoplexy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Dropsy ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...
Total Other Causes.....	3	1	3	3	7	11	25	30	3	5	...	...	...	...	41	50	91	67	24	...
Total Deaths.....	8	2	4	3	12	16	42	49	6	8	...	...	...	...	72	78	150	105	46	1

Abstract of Mortuary Report and Percentage of Births and Deaths on the Estimated Population, 77,507.

Classes.	Births. Feb. 1880.	Births. March 1880.	Difference. Increase.	Difference. Decrease.	Percentage of Births. Feb. 1880.	Percentage of Births. March 1880.	Deaths. Feb. 1880.	Deaths. March 1880.	Difference. Increase.	Difference. Decrease.	Percentage of Deaths. Feb. 1880.	Percentage of Deaths. March 1880.
Europeans ...	6	11	5	...	·14	·26	2	10	8	...	·04	·24
East Indians ...	6	10	4	...	·24	·41	2	7	5	...	·08	·28
Musalmáns	27	9	...	18	·18	·06	19	28	9	...	·12	·18
Hindus ...	80	183	103	...	·16	·37	62	91	29	...	·12	·18
Native Christians	14	4	...	10	·19	·05	20	14	...	6	·27	·19
Buddhists ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Classes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	133	217	112	28	·17	·27	105	150	51	6	·13	·19

Remarks.

There were 150 deaths during the month; 38 from fevers, 17 from bowel-complaints, 4 from accidents and 91 from other causes detailed in the previous page.

The number of deaths in March 1880 as compared with those in February 1880 and the corresponding month of last year were as follows :—

Of Europeans 10 against 2, Eurasians 7 against 2, Musalmáns 28 against 19, Hindus 91 against 62, and Native Christians 14 against 20, being 45 more than previous month, and 38 in excess of the total number of deaths registered in the corresponding month of last year.

Ages.

Classes.	No. died during the month.	Under 1 year.	1 to 6 years.	6 to 12 do.	12 to 20 do.	21 to 30 do.	31 to 40 do.	41 to 50 do.	51 to 60 do.	Above 60 do.	Total.
Europeans ...	10	4	...	...	...	3	1	1	...	1	10
East Indians ...	7	1	3	...	...	..	...	2	1	...	7
Musalmáns ...	28	8	4	1	4	2	3	1	1	4	28
Hindus ...	91	26	6	6	5	9	12	8	10	9	91
Native Christians.	14	2	2	3	1	3	1	...	1	1	14
Buddhists ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Other Classes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	150	41	15	10	10	17	17	12	13	15	150

Resolution.—Approved.

Estimates sanctioned by the President.

3. List of estimates sanctioned by the President during the month of March 1880.

Estimate No.	Name of Work.	Amount sanctioned. Rs.	A.	P.
7	Estimate for covering the box drain at Blackpalli road	161	0	0
	Total Rs.....	161	0	0

Resolution.—Approved.

Pension or Gratuity.

4. Read letter No. 5916, dated 9th March 1880, from the Deputy Accountant General in Mysore, relating to the proposed gratuity to Overseer Mahomed Husen, attached to the late Sar Amin's Municipal Establishment.

Resolved.—That a recommendation be made to the Chief Commissioner for the grant of a pension of Rs. 6—10—8 to Mahomed Husen of the Sar Amin's Establishment, the proportion of which pension chargeable to Municipal Funds will amount to Rs. 5—3—2 monthly. The Commissioners consider it desirable to point out that while Municipal employés transferred from

Government service to that of the Municipality and who may have only served under Government for a very limited period are under the provisions of the Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore and order thereon No. 4144—Ml. 5, dated 3rd April 1878, now eligible for a pension : those of their own employés who have served all their time in the Municipality are not under the present rules in force entitled to a like indulgence. The Commissioners cannot but consider that one class of their employés is thus placed in a very anomalous and inviduous position and they avail themselves of this opportunity to once more press on Government the desirability of sanction being obtained to the insertion into the Bangalore Municipal Regulations of 1871 of a clause somewhat similar to clause 8 of the Madras Act V of 1871, which clause provides for the grant of pensions and gratuities to Municipal employés. The Commissioners further consider that the provisions of the Civil Pension Code, Civil Leave Code and Acting Allowance Code might advantageously be extended to the Municipality.

Application for ground in Alsur.

5. Read application from Mr. V. Sadasiva Modaliar for a piece of ground in Alsur.

Resolved.—That the small piece of ground forming a portion of the disused road and adjoining Mr. Sadasiva Modaliar's garden at the Dhobi's Ghat be granted to him at the usual rate.

No. 2. *The 13th May* 1880.

Proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Cantonment Municipal Commission held at their Office Premises No. 12, Residency Road, on Saturday the 1st May 1880, at 7½ A. M.

Present.

Doctor J. H. Orr, C. B. *President.*

Present.—The Asstt. Qr.-Master Genl.
Mr. P. Raju Modaliar.
Captain P. Curley.
Mr. Abdul Kudus K. K. Saib.
Mr. Mahomed Sahiba.
Major-Genl. C. G. Ottley.

Absent—The Exec. Engineer, Nundy. Dn.
The District Engineer.
The District Supt. of Police.

Absent.—The Town and Cantonment 2nd Magistrate.
Mr. V. Sadasiva Modaliar.
Mr. Standish Lee.
Mr. Abdul Husen Saib.
Mr. A. R. Sabhapati Modaliar.
Mr. B. Ramalingam.
Mr. T. T. Leonard.
Mr. G. G. Brown.

Read—Letter No. 453—G. 130, dated 16th April 1880, from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore relating to the Mayo-Memorial Hall.

There not being a sufficient number of Commissioners present to form a quorum, it is resolved that the meeting be adjourned till Wednesday the 5th instant, at 7½ A. M.

No. 3. *The 13th May* 1880.

Proceedings of an adjourned Special Meeting of the Cantonment Municipal Commission held at their Office Premises No. 12, Residency Road, on Wednesday the 5th May 1880, at 7½ A. M.

Present.

Doctor J. H. Orr, C. B. *President.*

Present.—The Asstt. Qr-Master Genl.
Mr. P. Raju Modaliar.
Mr. Standish Lee.
Mr. Abdul Husen Saib.
Captain P. Curley.
Mr. Abdul K. K. K. Saib.
Mr. A. R. Sabhapati Modaliar.
Mr. Mahomed Sahiba.
Mr. B. Ramalingam.

Present.—Mr. T. T. Leonard.
Major Genl. C. G. Ottley.

Absent.—The Exec. Engineer, Nundydroog Division.
The District Superintendent of Police.
The District Engineer.
The Town and Cantonment 2nd Magistrate.
Mr. V. Sadasiva Modaliar.
Mr. G. G. Brown.

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The President having read the letters from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner No. 8775—G. 1738, dated 28th February, and No. 453—G. 13, dated 16th April 1880, General Ottley observed that he had now repeatedly visited and inspected the Mayo Hall premises and he was of opinion that the building with certain alterations and additions could be made admirably suitable for Municipal Offices. As it was intended that the entire upper story should be reserved for public purposes, he considered it a *sinequanon* that the whole of the lower story should be placed at the disposal of the Municipality and that it would be necessary also that out-offices should be constructed and for which the large compound attached to the premises fortunately furnished ample space.

Mr. Lee enquired whether, in addition to the amount now required for the completion of the building, there was any outstanding balance due to the late contractor and which the Municipality might be expected or called upon to make good; he added that according to a rough computation made by him he calculated that the expenditure to be incurred in the completion of the building, the erection of out-offices and compound wall, the purchase of furniture, &c., would amount to fully Rs. 30,000, and he wished to know whether the Municipality were in a position to make good so large an outlay. The President replied that in the abstract estimate of the amount required to complete the building furnished to him no mention was made of any outstanding balance due to the late contractor, and he took it for granted therefore that no liability of this nature really existed.

Captain Curley remarked that he believed that with a due exercise of economy a considerable saving might be effected in the several items of expenditure connected with the completion of the building, and he enquired whether it was intended that the building should be made over as it now stands to be completed at the cost and under the direction of the Municipality, or whether the work necessary for its completion would be carried out by Government. The President replied that the intentions of Government on this point were not definitely expressed, but from the tenor of Mr. Cuningham's two letters he was of opinion that Government intended that the completion of the Hall should be carried out by the Municipality.

Mr. Leonard said that it would save much correspondence and tend to a speedy settlement of this question were the Commissioners to state clearly and explicitly their views in the matter and the conditions under which they were prepared to take over the building; that from the letters read to the Meeting it was evident that Government wished and were prepared to make over the Hall to the Municipality, and he would propose that Government should now be informed that the Municipality would take it over on the following distinct conditions:—That the Municipality should not be responsible for any liabilities incurred and due up to date on account of work done by the late contractor, that the building be made over as it now stands to be completed under the charge of the Municipality and that in consideration of the large expenditure that would have to be incurred in finishing and making the building suitable for Municipal offices the Chief Commissioner might be pleased to relieve the Municipality from making good the amount required to be refunded to the Bowring Institute.

The President said that, having consideration to the conditions under which the money now held in deposit by the Municipality was permitted by Government to be accumulated and bearing also in mind the fact that this Municipality was not financially independent of Government, he was of opinion that they were not in a position nor would it be considered becoming on their part to dictate to Government the terms and conditions under which they were prepared to take over the Hall as proposed by Mr. Leonard, and he considered that they should confine themselves to a simple expression of what their views and wishes were, and which expression of opinion he was quite sure would meet with every consideration at the hands of the Chief Commissioner. The President's suggestions seemed to meet the general approval of the Commissioners present and after some further discussion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

Resolved—That Government be informed that the Commissioners are prepared to take over the Mayo Hall on the conditions proposed by the Chief Commissioner, *viz.*, that it be made over to the Municipality to be its property solely, on the understanding that the public have a right to it for Meetings held for a proper purpose.